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<b>UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL</b> <small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))</small>		Attorney Docket No. 6978-000225/COB	
		First Inventor	Fred C. Porter
		Title	ON-DEMAND ALL-WHEEL DRIVE SYSTEM
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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**  
See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 24]  
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  - Descriptive title of the invention ☒ Specification filed in English
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  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
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of prior application No: 10 / 083,941

Prior application information: Examiner Tisha D. Lewis Group / Art Unit: 3681

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